Cisco Aironet End-of-Life Announcement

As part of Cisco System's continuing effort to simplify the Cisco Aironet product line, Cisco announces the End-of-Life of certain Cisco Aironet products as per the descriptions and schedules detailed below. All discontinued products have suggested replacements and alternatives.

The products identified for End-of-Life fall into five categories:

- Cisco Aironet 350 Series Access Point (plastic case with RP-TNC connectors only)
- Cisco Aironet 340 Series Bridge
- Cisco Aironet 340 Series Base Station
- Cisco Aironet 4800 Series
- Cisco Aironet Products for the Singapore/France Regulatory Domain

The Cisco Aironet 350 Series Access Point (plastic case with RP-TNC connectors only)

With the introduction of the rugged access point, (AIR-AP352E2R-x-K9; x denotes the Americas, EMEA, and Japan regulatory domains), Cisco now offers an access point that provides all the functionality of the AIR-AP352E2R plus the advantages of a plenum-ratable metal case and an expanded operating temperature range. Now in general availability, the rugged access point is a functional superset of the plastic cased connectorized access point and is an ideal replacement product.

Table 1

Part Number	Description	Last Order Date	Last Support Date	Replacement
AIR-AP352E2R	Cisco Aironet 350 Series 100mW Access Point with plastic case, standard operating temperature range and Dual RP-TNC Connectors	November 30, 2001	November 30, 2006	AIR-AP352E2R-A-K9 AIR-AP352E2R-E-K9 AIR-AP352E2R-J-K9

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The Cisco Aironet 340 Series Bridge

The Cisco Aironet 350 Series Bridge is the suggested replacement for the Cisco Aironet 340 Series Bridge. The Cisco Aironet 350 Series Bridge has many superior features, including inline power and plenum ratability. Please note, however, that the Cisco IOS® Software-compatible Spanning Tree Protocol (STP) of the Cisco Aironet 350 Series Bridge is not backward compatible with the proprietary Cisco Aironet 340 Series Bridge STP. For existing Cisco Aironet 340 Series point-to-multipoint installations where additional bridges may be required, please note the last order date for Cisco Aironet 340 Series bridges is February 28, 2002. In addition, the replacement Cisco Aironet 350 Series bridge is not currently certified in the following countries: Mexico, China, Malaysia, Taiwan, Thailand, and Peru. Certification for all these countries except China is, however, expected prior to the general end-of-sale date. Cisco will not end-of-sale the Cisco Aironet 340 Series Bridge for these countries until the Cisco Aironet 350 Series Bridge is certified.

Table 2

Part Number	Description	Last Order Date	Last Support Date	Replacement
AIR-BR342	Cisco Aironet 340 Series 2.4GHz 11Mbps Wireless Bridge	February 28, 2002	February 28, 2007	AIR-BR350-A-K9 AIR-BR350-E-K9 AIR-BR350-J-K9
AIR-PWR1995=	110V Spare Power Supply Spare for Cisco Aironet 340 Series Bridge	February 28, 2002	February 28, 2007	Not Applicable
AIR-PWR2124-002=	110/220V Spare Universal Power Supply Spare for Cisco Aironet 340 Series Bridge	February 28, 2002	February 28, 2007	Not Applicable

The Cisco Aironet 340 Series Base Station

The Cisco Aironet 340 Series Access Point, AIR-AP342E2C, is the suggested alternative for the Cisco Aironet 340 Series Base Station. Please note, however, that the Cisco Aironet 340 Series Access Point feature set is not identical to that of the Cisco Aironet 340 Series Base Station, which provides a Network Access Translator (NAT) and Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP) server that are not offered by the Cisco Aironet 340 Series Access Point. Using the Cisco Aironet 340 Series Access Point in place of the Cisco Aironet 340 Series Base Station will require a separate routing device in certain applications.

Table 3

Part Number	Description	Last Order Date	Last Support Date	Replacement
AIR-BSE342	Cisco Aironet 340 Series Base Station with Ethernet Uplink	February 28, 2002	February 28, 2007	AIR-AP342E2C

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The Cisco Aironet 4800 Series

When it was launched in 1998, the Cisco Aironet 4800 Series represented the state-of-the-art in 802.11b wireless LANs. Today, the Cisco Aironet 350 Series represents that same market leadership. Now in general availability, the Cisco Aironet 350 Series provides superior functionality and better pricing than the legacy Cisco Aironet 4800 line of products and is an ideal replacement product line for the Cisco Aironet 4800 Series.

Table 4

Part Number	Description	Last Order Date	Last Support Date	Replacement
AIR-AP4800-E	Cisco Aironet 4800 Series 11Mbps DSSS Ethernet Access Point with 128-bit WEP	February 28, 2002	February 28, 2007	AIR-AP352E2R-A-K9 AIR-AP352E2R-E-K9 AIR-AP352E2R-J-K9
AIR-PC4800	Cisco Aironet 4800 Series 11Mbps DSSS PC Card with Antenna with 128-bit WEP	February 28, 2002	February 28, 2007	AIR-PCM352
AIR-LM4800	Cisco Aironet 4800 Series 11Mbps DSSS PC Card without Antenna with 128-bit WEP	February 28, 2002	February 28, 2007	AIR-LMC352
AIR-LM4800/40	Cisco Aironet 4800 Series 11Mbps DSSS PC Card Adapter w/o Antenna	February 28, 2002	February 28, 2007	AIR-LMC352/40
AIR-PCI4800	Cisco Aironet 4800 Series 11Mbps DSSS PCI Adapter w/128-bit WEP	February 28, 2002	February 28, 2007	AIR-PCI352

The Cisco Aironet 350 Series Access Points, Bridges, and Related Kits for the Singapore/France Regulatory Domain

Recently, the regulatory bodies for both Singapore and France modified their regulations for 2.4 GHz license-free radio frequency spectrum operation to conform with ETSI, the regulatory body for Europe and other countries. As a result, we are announcing the immediate End-of-Sale of products configured specifically for Singapore and France. Products configured for ETSI regulations, which are denoted by “E” in the part number, provide a greater number of channels for better scalability and are fully compliant with the new standards for Singapore and France.

Table 5

Part Number	Description	Last Order Date	Last Support Date	Replacement
AIR-AP352E2R-S-K9	Cisco Aironet 350 Series Rugged Access Point with Dual RP-TNC Connectors, Singapore/France Regulatory Domain	November 1, 2001	Not Applicable	AIR-AP352E2R-E-K9
AIR-BR350-S-K9	Cisco Aironet 350 Series Bridge with Dual RP-TNC Connectors, Singapore/ France Regulatory Domain	November 1, 2001	Not Applicable	AIR-BR350-E-K9

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Table 5 (Continued)

Part Number	Description	Last Order Date	Last Support Date	Replacement
AIR-SSI350-S-K9	In-Building Site Survey Kit	November 1, 2001	Not Applicable	AIR-SSI350-E-K9
AIR-SSB350-S-K9	Building-to-Building Site Survey Kit	November 1, 2001	Not Applicable	AIR-SSB350-E-K9

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